

To whom it may concern:

I am a small business owner in Woodbury CT. As a business owner and long time resident of CT, I have never witnessed such high prices as I'm seeing now. What is happening is absolutely disconcerting to say the least. Between, food costs, gas, energy, (Eversource is literally robbing people), it's out of control, and the politicians and elitist's "running" things are the only ones able to afford what's happening. The old saying goes, "the rich get richer and the poor get poorer." Destroying the middle class and creating a socialist type of society is not the type of state many of us want to or can afford to live in. It would be great if something could be done to fix the corruptness and on-going price hikes the working class people of this state continuously endure. I support senate bill 22 to reduce sales tax, please do not stop there, make energy affordable again, gas prices, groceries, etc. Enough is enough already. Eversource is putting such a choke hold on small businesses and families they're making it impossible to get ahead, and the CT bureaucrats signed legislation two years ago allowing them to continue this "practice" it should be, and probably is unlawful. The people responsible for this and what they're doing to hurt those of us that work hard for a living should be ashamed of themselves. I am asking for all of you to please get on board and fix this mess which has been very much created by you the politicians. Time to put greed and politics aside for a minute and do what's right.

-Jerrod Kirchberger

Resident of Woodbury CT